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~~[Means for Solving the Problems]~~

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~~[FIG. 1]~~

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~~[FIG. 4]~~

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~~[FIG. 3]~~

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 11, with the following rewritten

paragraph:

Fig. 3 is a view showing ~~a~~ the positional relationship, etc. between respective images formed on an imaging surface 4e of an imaging element 4 shown in FIG.1 and FIG.2.

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~~[FIG. 4]~~

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Fig. 4 is a view showing ~~a~~ the positional relationship, etc. between respective images formed on the imaging surface 4e of the imaging element 4 when a light shielding member is not provided in FIG.3.

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~~[FIG. 5]~~

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~~[FIG. 6]~~

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~~[FIG. 7]~~

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~~[FIG. 8]~~